CONGRESS.

An Abstract of the More Important Proceedings of Both Houses.

TUESDAY, DEC. 20.

In the Senate, after the routine morning business was disposed of, the army appropriation bill, from the House, was presented, and referred to the Committee on Appropriations. A number of petitions in favor of and against

the anti-option bill were received and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

The House joint resolution for the payment on the 21st of December of the salaries of the officers and employes of both Houses for the month of December was reported back from the Committee on Appropriations and passed.

The House concurrent resolution for the holiday recess from Thursday, Dec. 22, to Wednesday, Jan. 4, was also reported back favorably, but on objection of Mr. Sherman it | de Paris was posted during the night in every

was laid over without action. Among the various bills introduced was a concurrent resolution of Mr. Teller, for the assembling of the two Houses in the hall of the House of Representatives on Wednesday, Feb. 8, 1893, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, pursuant to the requirement of the Constitution and laws relating to the election of President and Vice-President of the United States. He said that in his own opinion the statute on the subject executed itself, but he thought that the precedent of four years ago had better be followed. The concurrent resolution was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections. The consideration of the McGarrahan bill went over until to-morrow, and the same was the case with the anti-option bill.

In the House, there were a baker's dozen leaves of absence granted this morning, some of them being on account of illness, but the majority being granted to members from distant States who desired to leave in time to celebrate Christmas at their homes.

Mr. Stump, Chairman of the House Committee on immigration, introduced in the House to-day a bill for the establishment of a foreign quarantine and suspension of immigration under certain conditions. It provides that after March 1, 1893, no alien immigrant shall be permitted to land at any port in the United States who has not been quarautined at the port of departure for at least seven days. Befumigated and inspected. Two experienced Surgeons are to be employed by vessels engaged in transporting immigrants, and are required to make oath that the law has been complied with. In case the owners of any vessels willfully violate the provisions no alien immigrant is to be permitted to land in this country from \$5,000, and vessels so fined are to be detained until the fine is paid. The Secretary of the Treasury, with the approval of the President, is empowered, whenever in his judgment the public safety shall require it, to restrict, prohibit, suspend or exclude all alien immigrants who may embark from any designated foreign

A claim for the settlement with the Indians who were parties to and beneficiaries under the treaty concluded at Buffalo Creek, N. Y., in January, 1838, was introduced. The amount involved is about \$1,000,000. The morning hour expired before action was taken.

Under the special order the floor was then accorded to the Committee on Public Lands, which, through its Chairman, Mr. McRae, called up the bill adjusting the claims of Arkansas and other States under the Swamp Land act. No action was taken on the bill, no quorum being secured to vote upon it, and the House adjourned.

WEDNEEDAY, DEC. 21.

Mr. Morgan presented the joint memorial of the Senate and House of Representatives of Alabama urging that such measures shall be adopted by Congress as will best secure the speedy construction of the Nicaragua Canal and its control by the United States Government. In the same connection Mr. Sherman reported from the Committee on Foreign Relations a bill to amend the act of incorporation of the Nicaragua Canal. The new bill is drawn on substantially the same lines as the bill reported from the committee to the last Congress, including, as it does, a proposition to guarantee bonds of the company to the extent of \$100 .-000,000 to aid in the construction of the canal. Perhaps the most important changes in the bill are those made in the ninth section relative to the issue of stock. In the new bill this is only of ordinary wisdom to take precautions." limited to \$100,000,000, \$12,000,000 to be retained by the company, the amount stipulated to be delivered to the Government of Costa Rica according to the concessions, and the remainder to be issued to the United States full paid and not subject to assessment, to be voted by the President of the United States or his proxy at stockholders' meetings, and but three directors are to be selected from the holders of the stock other than owned by the United States. In the last section an amendment is made so that 10 instead of six of the 15 directors shall be appointed by the President of the United States, not more than five of whom shall be appointed from one political party.

The resolution recently offered by Mr. Vest directing the Committee on the Census to investigate charges of partisan action against certain census enumerators was reported back favorably from the Committee on Contingent Expenses, and was agreed to.

The House bill to incorporate the Protestant Episcopal Cathedral Foundation of the District of Columbia was reported and passed. Senate bill incorporating the Society of American Florists was taken from the calendar

The concurrent resolution for the holiday recess from to-morrow till Wednesday, Jan. 3, was taken up and agreed to. The McGarrahan bill, with the President's

veto, was then discussed, but no action was taken. After transacting some minor business, the Senate adjourned. In the House this morning Mr. Greenleaf in-

troduced for reference a bill appropriating \$300,000 for the establishment of a military post at Rochester, N. Y. Mr. Atkinson ob-

gation. The bill provides in the aggregate for gether and offering big inducements to proan expenditure of about \$550,000; but having fessional prospectors to visit the mines. no quorum present the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, DEC. 22. There was less than a quorum of Senators

whom was Vice-President Morton, in whose absence the chair was occupied by Mr. Manderson, President pro tem of the Senate. Petitions for immigration restriction and the passage of the anti-option bill were read

and referred to the committees in charge. Senate bill (of last session) to amend existing laws relating to mineral lands and mining resources was, on motion of Mr. Stewart, taken from the calendar and passed, after an explanation that the bill simply applied to details in the patenting of mining claims, not enlarging anybody's rights.

Mr. Perkins introduced a bill to enable the people of Oklahoma and of Indian Territory | Premier Mercier will come out squarely either to form a constitutional and State Government and to be admitted into the Union on an equal | The meeting is to be held at Sohrmer Park, the footing with the original States; which was referred to the Committee on Territories. The McGarrahan bill was taken up and dis-

enseed, but it went over without action. The anti-option bill was brought up. Mr. from all parts of the dominion. Washburn remarked that it was impossible to have a vote on the bill to-day. He had hoped, he said, that the vote might be had before the | necessity to insure the progress and prosperity beliday recess, but he understood that there of the population, and should Mr. Mercier were still several Senators who desired to speak and who were not prepared to do so now. He | favor of independence or annexation he is sure would like very much to have the Senate to attract a powerful following. agree to some time after the holidays when the vote might be taken.

After a short Executive session the Senate adjourned till Wednesday, Jan. 4. In the House, immediately after the reading and approval of the journal, Mr. McMillin moved an adjournment. This was defeated— On Christmas day he ate heartily, enjoyed his food, and has since been improving. He is still bill. The committees were called for reports, confined to his bed, but is so much better in

THE FRENCH PRETENDERS. A Brace of Young Men Who would like to be Crown-Wearers.

In France, the Imperialists have but a vague following, says a writer in the New York Recorder, though Prince Victor was formally declared successor to the headship of the Bonaparte clan on the death of his father, Prince Napoleon, in 1891. The general impression is that the last hope of the Bonapartes to achieve power in France expired with the death of the Prince Imperial by a Zulu assegai in South

The ex-Empress Eugenie, who wanders between Farnborough and the Riviers, has long ago given up hope of a Bonaparte restoration. In her mind Imperial France died with the Emperor and the Prince Imperial, whose bodies lie in the mausoleum of the little church at

Farnborough, England. Prince Victor is now in Brussels. He has been living in comparative retirement recently, but has kept a careful watch upon the course of events, and his friends in Paris claim that he will be found fully equal to any crisis that may arise, and, while prudent as to taking a decisive step, he will be positive and courageous in action when once the step is taken. As for a Royalist coup d'etat, it will be remembered that in 1887 a manifesto by the Comte provincial town in France. The Comte sent his instructions to all the Royalist committees throughout the country. At midnight, at each of the Capital towns of each of the S6 Departments of France, a Royalist agent handed a scaled envelope containing the complete platform of royalty, as understood by the Comte de Paris, to the chiefs of the Royalist committees. The promptness and alacrity with which this movement was executed proved the com-

There is no room to doubt that the Royalist party is any less organized now than in 1887. The bearer of the Orleanist claims would now, however, be the young Duc d'Orleans, who has | sion and the extra session probable. lately distinguished with following Mme. Melba. It was to him that his grandfather, the Duke of Montpensier, left half of his enormous fortune-his share amounting to \$20,course, the European dynasties would look ever before." upon a change from Republic to monarchy with great favor.

plete organization of the party.

THE CHOLERA.

fore embarkation the vessel is to be thoroughly It May Become Epidemic Next Spring if

We do not Stop Immigration. caused the authorities of that city to order a support his Administration just as loyally. It renewal of the precautions heretofore taken to | will not embarrass him in the matter of apcheck the spread of the disease. Emperor | pointments. Any he may make will be satis-William has directed that regular daily reports | factory to the organization, no matter who the disease in the Spring.

Russian Government has summoned a Congress | it.' of 300 doctors, of whom 156 are from cholerainfected districts. The Congress will sit for eight days, and will prepare a report on the

Service here, said in an interview last week: prevent its gaining a foothold on this side of received that in spite of all that has been done to discourage immigration from infected countries, particularly Russia, there are large numbers of immigrants from that country who are persistent in their efforts to reach the United

"The order for the expulsion of Jews from Russia, heretofore enforced in certain limited districts, is now being enforced all over the Empire. This means that a large number of immigrants from badly-infected districts will try to reach the United States, and no one can view these matters without serious concern. It is inadvisable to create any unnecessary alarm in regard to the danger from cholera. have great faith in the sanitary intelligence and ability to meet emergencies possessed by the people of the United States, but the facts have simply got to be faced, and it is the part

He Again Bcomes a Priest.

The famous case of Father McGivnn, of St. Stephen's Church of New York City, was dediers' Home at Washington, on Friday, Dec. Legislature.

tolli, the representative of Pope Leo in the | that E. B. Cabbell, the Populist candidate for | United States, who was recently sent here to elector, had been lawfully elected over E. G. settle matters pertaining to the Catholic Dewey, the Republican, to whom a certificate Church. Dr. Burtsell, Father McGlynn's friend of election had been issued because the Wilson and adviser in the controversy, presented the and Sedwick County Populist electoral ticket ex-communicated priest's plea. The following contained the name of Campbell instead of statement was given out by a representative of Cabbell. Mgr. Satolli on Friday:

"To end the many contradictory telegrams sent out to the University for inquiry it is thought expedient to state that at 9 o'clock p. President-elect Cleveland after his inauguram. Dr. McGlynn was declared free from ecclesiastical censures and restored to the exercise of his priestly functions, after having satisfied the Pope's Legate on all the points in his case." limited. It enables Father McGlynn to serve as priest in any parish to which he may be assigned. A return to his old fold at St. Stephen's is a subject for further consideration.

The Gold Fields in Utah,

The gold fever has struck all Western people, and it is stated that it is even more intense than the great one of 1849. Thousands of The floor was then accorded to the Committee | men are rushing to the new placer fields on the on Commerce. In Committee of the Whole | San Juan River in southern Utah. In Colorado the House proceeded to the consideration of the fever seems to be the strongest and many the first bill called up, being one providing men with outfits are daily starting out. Mining for sundry lighthouses and other aids to navi- men in almost every town are clubbing to-

At Albuquerque, N. M., and other points slong the line of the Atlantic and Pacific, the excitement is intense, and railway officials and There was less than a quorum of Senators present when the day's proceedings began.

Many had left the city for the holidays, among them was Vice President Morton in Them. on to this country none have returned, is sider the matter of approaching election strong evidence that the land is rich enough to of U. S. Senator. Previous to the Democratic keep them there.

New stage lines have been established from Albuquerque, Farmington, and Winson, along the line of the Atlantic and Pacific, and also from Darango and Dolores, Colo., on the line of the Denver and Rio Grande.

The Annexation of Canada. Great preparations are being made in Montreal, Canada, for the meeting which has been called for Tuesday, Jan. 2, 1893, when exin favor of annexation or for independence. auditorium of which seats more than 5,000 persons, but it is not expected that this will half accommodate the crowd that will be present. Delegates have promised to be present

It is generally considered that the time has come when colonial emancipation has become a place himself at the head of a party either in

The Maine Statesman Much Better. Inquiry at the residence of Hon. James G. Blaine, elicits the cheering news, as we go to press, that all danger for the present has passed. but without important results, and as there every way that the members of the family go was evidently no quorum present, the House about their every-day avocations without apprehension.

POLITICAL

Doings of the Different Parties and Their Representatives.

Among all the flying rumors as to Cabinet appointments, there seems to be one unquestionable report, and that is the statement that Mr. Cleveland wants Senator Carlisle to take the Secretaryship of the Treasury, and has sounded him in regard to it. It is said that the Senator was reluctant to consider it, and was advised by most of his friends not to do so. But it was said last week that the advice of one or two friends on whom he specially depends has changed his views, and he may yet accept the place. Until he decides what he will do about

once precipitate a pretty warm contest for the succession in Kentucky. The men most likely to be pushed are Representatives Breckenridge and McCreary, Judge William Lindsay, who elected as the successor of the late Senator Beck, and John Young Brown, the present Governor, who is said to be ambitious of Senatorial honors, It is thought here that any of these men would maintain the traditional standing of Kentucky of the Democratic side.

Col. Lamont has been mentioned for the Navy portfolio, but nothing definite can be lation will be adopted during the present ses- lation on the subject.

Henry Watterson, the Kentucky editor, was interviewed in Pittsburg last week, on Mr. Cleveland's Administration, and the chances of his being in the Cabinet. "I will not be in 000,000 - with the nudoubted intention that it Mr. Cleveland's Cabinet," said Mr. Watterson. should be used in the Royalist cause when the "I cannot afford to accept any public office. I time should come. His mother, a Princess am too poor. If I wanted any office I would Isabella of Orleans-Bourbon, daughter of the not be required to leave Kentucky to get it. I Due de Montpensier, has been unwearying on | did fight the coming President at the nominaber part in her efforts to get family relations | tion, but I am satisfied that Mr. Cleveland will

How much patronage Tammany Hall would demand has been a question to which some people have given a great deal of attention since the election of Cleveland. According to Richard Croker, the Tammany chief, Tammany Hall will ask Mr. Cleveland for nothing whatever in the way of patronage or places. The The reappearance of cholera at Hamburg has organization supported him loyally and it will Cleveland in his administration. Such a course | Wharton will act during the interim. Advices from St. Petersburg say that the | is certainly ruinous to any one who attempts

An article which recently appeared in an Ashland (Mich.) newspaper has given rise to measures to be adopted to meet the expected | considerable talk. The paper is authority for recurrence of the epidemic in the Russian do- the statement that a movement is on foot to northern parts of Wisconsin and Minnesota. "The cholera is by no means wiped out, and | Efforts, it is said, "will be made to secure the the greatest care will have to be exercised to combined aid of all Lake Superior cities to the 'Soo.' The scheme has the almost undivided the Atlantic. The speedy passage of a bill support of the people adjoining the Great which shall give clearly-defined powers to make | Lakes, but political reasons may deter active precautionary regulations, with sufficient ap- | measures." As the new State would be Repubpropriations to make them effective, is ex- lican, the paper seems to be of the opinion that tremely desirable. Information has been neither Congress nor the Wisconsin Legislature would be inclined to favor the plan.

> court will order the district returns. If this is | tive." done it will result in the election to the Legisthe complexion of the Legislature that the Re- | tracting a great deal of interest. publicans and the Populists, and not the Democrats, will have control.

cided last week by the restoration of possibly | County Clerk gave his vote to his Republican | kins at Topeka last Monday. The sockless the most beloved priest in America to authority opponent in his certified returns, asked that a statesman went to Topeka to help the Poputo perform his priestly functions by the Pope of certificate of election be issued to him. The lists organize the Legislature, and he says that Rome, from which he has been deposed for Contest Court, sitting at Topeka, decided that that party ought to, and very probably will, nearly two years. All this occurred at the it had no jurisdiction in his case, and that he have control of the Senatorship, and that he Catholic University, which adjoins the Sol- could get his seat only through a contest in the | will be chosen.

The State Board of Canvassers, sitting as a This decision was promulgated by Mgr. Sa- | Contest Court at Topeka, Kan., has decided

Wisconsin Democrats will be among the most clamorous of those who will besiege tion. A place in the Cabinet is sought for Edward C. Wall, Chairman of the State Committee, while a first-class foreign mission will be demanded for Gen. Bragg, if he be defeated in The effect of this decision by Mgr. Satolli is his Senatorial aspirations, as it now seems

> There is much talk about the succession to Senator Sawyer. Bragg wants it, and so does Col. McKnight, of Ashland, and Congressman Mitchell, of Milwaukee. The former is Senator Vilas's old partner, and has that gentleman's support. Mr. Mitchell is backed by his millions and a fair record in the House. Ex-Senator James R. Doolittle, of Racine, is a new aspirant, but is regarded by many as too old. He is 72 years old. Ever since his vote against him both from the Senate and the Republican | from various parts of France is not very reasparty, Doolittle has desired to regain his old suring to the Government and serves to political strength.

business interests are in New York City, and tions of venality and treachery than they were bus festivities. These vessels will be the cruiswho have suburban houses in cities along distressed by the loss of their money, and a conthe Erie, Lackawanna and Pennsylvania siderable number of them are inclined to hold Railroads, held a meeting in one of the Republican institutions rather than individuals built after the models of the Santa Maria, Nina botels in New York last week, to con-National Convention those men were very active in the interests of Grover Cleveland. A

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prejudice against Gov. Abbett, who is a candidate, was expressed at the meeting, and it was declared that although he was for Grover Cleveland in the resent campaign, he was a personal friend of David Hill, and would have

voted with Tammany if he dared. The meeting took no action, but with a few exceptions all spoke in opposition to the Governor. James

It would appear that Cleveland is not to receive those five electoral rotes from Michigan, and that Chairman Compbell is to lose the only remaining scrap of evidence that the Democratic State Central Committee attempted to conduct a campaign in Michigan last Fall. Senator-elect Weiss some weeks ago announced that he would introduce a bill to repeal the Miner election law, which provided for the election of Presidential electors by districts. Fred A. Baker, the attorney, who, with Col. it, it is foolish to talk of anyone else in this | H. M. Duffield, argued before the Supreme Court of the State and also before the Supreme If Mr. Carlisle should accept, he would at | Court of the United States against the law, proposes to go further. Mr. Barker has carefully analyzed the opinion of the United States Supreme Court sustaining the law, and the result has been that he has prepared a bill, made a spirited canvass when Mr. Carlisle was | which is to be introduced by Senator Weiss as soon as the Legislature meets, the object of which is the unseating of the Democratic Presidential electors who have been officially declared chosen.

The districts are the Eastern District at large, in that body, and at the same time the strength | and the First, Second, Seventh, and Tenth Congressional Districts. The plan is to have the Legislature name all the electors. They would of course be Republicans. It will not learned. It is expected that Speaker Crisp of course make any difference in the general will go over to New York from Washington | result, but if the legal point made by Mr. this week to confer with Mr. Cleveland. His baker is sustained it will have a far-reaching cup to overflowing. Now another affliction visit will probably be in regard to what legis- effect, and may necessitate some National legis- comes to our comrade. Little Marthena Har-

with the occupants of European thrones. Of come nearer being a Democrat this time than | ciate Judge of the Court of Appeals, in the disease has made its appearance in the Execu-Bar Association. Gov. Flower said:

during the past year while serving as an Asso- | tion. ciate Judge of the Court of Appeals. My recollection is that the association practically closed its consideration of the Maynard matter when it held its session at the Capitol last Winter."

Secretary of State Foster will resign his portregarding the disease be sent to him. The re- lucky ones are. There are no requests to make. folio before leaving for Paris, where he goes to act as agent for the United States before had increased its armed force on the Great any vessel owned by the same company without cent mild weather and the extraordinary low special permission of the Treasury Department, water in the Elbe are claimed to have assisted suggestions to make about Cabinet appoint the Bering Sea arbitrators, who are to meet Lakes. and vessels bringing immigrants who have not been quarantined, as required, are to be fined been quarantined, as required, are to be fined the German Hygienic Society on the subject of tainly not. Mr. Cleveland will select bis Cab. the German Hygienic Society on the subject of | tainly not. Mr. Cleveland will select his Cab- | tween the date of the Secretary's departure | cholera elicted the concurrent opinion from ex- inet as he thinks best. It's absurd to entertian and the end of the present Administration, the Miles. "The fact is, though, that these three perts that there will be another outbreak of the | the idea of any Democrat embarrassing Mr. | vacancy will not be filled. Assistant Secretary

> "The electoral college, as it now stands, is a miserable fraud," said Representative Springer the other day, "and the idea that all of the votes in the electoral college from a great State like New York should go to one party by a erect a State from territory comprising the en-Surg.-Gen. Wyman, of the Marine Hospital tire Upper Peninsula of Michigan and the the electors of the country. Some of the newspapers misapprehend the proposition which I submitted on this subject. The popular vote contemplated is confined to each State. The States will have the same number of electoral votes that they now have in the election of the President and the Vice-President. There will be no persons running as candidates for electors, but the electoral vote of each State will be apportioned among the several candidates according to the number of popular votes each receives in that State, the odd votes going to the candidates having the largest fractions. The Democrats have tried to scoop the State | This will prevent the vicious practice of gerryof Montana by the same tactics in which they | mandering and gives exact weight to the popusucceeded so admirably two years ago. Sena-tor Sanders, of Montana, who is in Washing-ton, received a telegram from Helena, stating election and render contests for the succession reply to inquiries concerning the relations bethat the two Democratic canvassers, W. J. next to impossible. Politically it would give tween this country and the Black Republic: Miner and Ed Dunne, who have been before effect to the popular will, limited only by the the court there for several days endesvoring to | just representation which each State is entitled show why they should not canvass the Box- to in the electoral college, and would not spread Elder District, have fied to Canada before the large majorities in one locality beyond the settlement of the case. The result of this ac- limits of the State. Besides, it would make tion on their part will probably be that the vote-buying ineffectual and therefore inopera-

> > Mr. Springer said that the proposition seemed lature of two Republicans, and will so change to be growing in favor and was certainly at-

> > Hon. Jerry Simpson, of Medicine Lodge, Kan., representing the Seventh Kansas District Joseph Rosenthal, the Haskell County (Kan.) | in the 52d Congress, and who was re-elected Democrat, who was lawfully elected to the Leg- last Fall, announced himself as a candidate for islature, but who was counted out because the United States Senator to succeed Senator Per-

> > > The friends of Mr. Crisp are very confident now that he will succeed himself as Speaker of the next House. The views of a large part of next House who are not members of the present House, and it is said that it does not inwho it is believed are favorable to Mr. Crisp.

> > > Excitement in Paris. who favor the restoration of a Monarchical Gov-

> > > ernment, have be very active. The movements of the agitators for this form be struck at him.

ment among the Deputies and sowing the seeds | L. A. Lovering, 4th Inf., for the latter. the impeachment of Andrew Johnson retired of jealousy, fear, and suspicion. The news who lost their money in the Panama enterprise New Jersey Cleveland men, those whose are said to be more disgusted with the revelaresponsible for the losses and disgrace.

To Restrain Immigration.

Gen. Francis A. Walker has a method to re strain undesirable immigration. He would tax each immigrant \$100 upon his arrival in America, the amount to be deposited at the Custom House and there be held in keeping. If at the end of three years proof were submitted that the immigrant was an industrious and reputable citizen, not an inmate of a prison or almshouse, the money deposited and its interest would be returned and the owner admitted to full citizenship. If, on the other hand, the immigrant wished to leave the country the money would likewise be returned. "The solution of the problem," he continued. rests entirely with the laboring man. It is

The Gold in the Treasury. Secretary Foster states that the gold flurry seems to have passed. Out of the \$11,000,000 in gold exported by the Treasury, the net loss sustained by the Treasury amounted to \$3,000 .-000, which, according to the Secretary, would

labor's question."

be replaced before the new year.

Dr. Millen's Body Found. Dr. Millen, the plaintiff in the famous land and tried in the various courts in Georgia and Coast about Dec. 31, cross the Western mountnow pending before the Supreme Court of the | sins by the close of Jan. 1, the great Central United States, involving \$1,000,000 worth of Valleys from Jsn. 2 to 4, and the Eastern the finest residence property in Savannah, has States about the 5th. been missing for several days, . . on Dec. 22 | The cold wave, preceded by snows in the his body was found in Salt Water Creek, 10 North and rains in the South, will cross the

A Dalton a Deputy Marshal. Coffeyville, Kan., was excited some time ago over the extermination of the infamous Dalton gang, and to-day it is excited over the an-

nouncement of the appointment of William Dalton as Deputy United States Marshal. It is said that Dalton has made a public boast that he will square himself with all the ene-Smith, jr., was several times mentioned as being more likely to stand by Cleveland than Abbett, and he will probably be pushed in the coming contest.

He is after a newspaper correspondent by the name of Chapman, who is charged with stealing a horse. The horse alleged to have been stolen is the one Emmet Dalton rode into mies of his family under the guise of the law. and others were killed. It is not thought that Dalton will attempt to arrest Chapman, but will shoot him. Chapman is known as a brave man, and it will not be a one-sided match when both men meet.

Denounced Freemasonry.

At the Christmas reception of the Pope to his Cardinals, in Rome, Leo gave utterance to some significent remarks. He said that the signs of a gathering storm were visible to all observers of moral and religious conditions. The European situation was pregnant with ruin and disaster, and these conditions could only be brought to an end by the healing virtues of the Church, which herself was to be violently assailed. He referred to the Freemasons, who he con-

demned as a malignant sect who were never true to the people, but who, unfortunately, were supported by the Italian Government.

Gen. Harrison's Tough Luck.

President Harrison is certainly in hard luck. Within two months his wife and father-in-law. Dr. Scott, have joined the great majority, and he has besides been defeated for re-election. Any one of these afflictions, single-handed, would be sufficient to fill the ordinary mortal's rison, his granddaughter, has been stricken with scarlet fever. The fact became known by The friends of Senator Hill are not only a law of Congress, which makes it imperative puzzled as to how far Mr. Cleveland himself is upon the physician in attendance to report responsible for the fight against Murphy for any contagious disease to the Health Officer of the Senate, but at the apparent purpose of Gov. | the District of Columbia, who at once placards Flower to shake off Hill influence in the mat- | the house in which the sufferer from the dread ter of State patronage. Gov. Flower's an- disease resides. "Scarlet fever within" was nouncement of his intention to appoint Isaac H. Maynard, a man who aided him in the late and, although it is said that the little girl is scheme to get possession of the Senate, an Asso- not dangerously ill, the fact that an infectious place of Judge Andrews, when the latter be- tive Mansion, keeps many people away from comes Chief Justice, has called forth a good the house. The President shows much fortideal of criticism, as such an appointment would tude under his numerous afflictions, and bears be contrary to the wishes of the New York | himself with his old soldierly manner at all times. Evidently the White House is an un-"I have determined to appoint Judge May- healthy habitation, and a new one should be nard on account of the record made by him | built or the old one put in good sanitary condi-

A Dangerous Move.

"If Canada has built and armed three vessels for service on the lakes, as described by the officers of the Revenue Marine Service at Washington, it amounts to a declaration of war," said Mai.-Gen. Nelson A. Miles the other day, alluding to the report that the Dominion "I do not want to be quoted as saying that

vessels are in direct violation of the treaty of 1817, which limits the war vessels that either our Government or Great Britain can maintain on the lakes to a certain number and limits their gun power. The action of the Canadian authorities in building the three vessels described by the officers of the Revenue Marine Service violates the treaty in both particulars. "England can send a large fleet of lightdraft war vessels up the St. Lawrence River into the Great Lakes and could burn every town from Duluth to Detroit. And the singular thing is, that the United States could do scarcely anything by way of defense, so far as doing battle on the water is concerned, for, while we have some light-draft warships that could get through the canal, we could not get them to the upper lakes for the reason that

Haiti and the United States. Minister Durham, while at the State Depart-

they would have to pass through British posses-

sions, and that Canada or Great Britain would

not allow."

"I am sorry to say that there is a strong popular prejudice against Americans. But this unfortunate condition is largely due to the fact of American prejudice against people of color. This feeling is considerably tempered, however, by the fact that our Government has always

treated Haiti, both through her representative

here and through our representatives there, with the most cordial and sympathetic consideration. This has done much to lessen the popular enmity to the United States." Asked about the possibility of the establishment of a United States coaling station at Mole St. Nicholas, he said: "I do not believe it likely that any arrangement will be made for the lease of a station at Mole St. Nicholas. The more intelligent Haitians and the merchant class without regard to nationality generally favor the project. But the Mole question

the political bugaboo of the country, and I have never received any instructions to attempt | cates the recognition of the negro in public to do anything concerning the Mole St. Nicho-Army Officers as Indian Agents.

The soreness which has existed between the Interior and War Departments for these many years over the question of the detail of tained, mainly through voluntary expressions | Army officers for duty as Indian Agents appears on their part. It is claimed that 140 members to be healing. The Interior Department has have signified their intention to vote for Mr. apparently begun to appreciate the value of the gests that the word "negro" be given prefer-Crisp. The list includes members elect of the services of Army officers as Agents, for it has ence over "colored," and that it be spelled with voluntarily asked the War Department to a capital "N." designate a couple of officers to perform the clude a number whose views are unknown, but | services of Agents at Agencies where civilians have proven inefficient.

It is true that a law passed about a year ago directs that the President shall detail Army Paris is excited over the turn affairs have officers when in his discretion suitable civiltaken within a short time. The Imperialists, | ians cannot be found, but it was supposed that the Interior Department would be reluctant to make any such acknowledgement, and that the law would remain practically a dead letter on of Government are being closely watched, and the statute books. The War Department offithe Government is prepared to arrest certain | cials were therefore somewhat surprised when of the conspirators. An ex-Prefect of Police is a request came for an Army officer for the La regarded as the leader of the plot against the Pointe (Wis.) Agency, and another for the Government, and the first blow probably will Sisseton and Wahpeton (S. D.) Agency. The first details under the new law were accord-At present the Monarchists seem to be direct- ingly made last week, Capt. Charles Porter, 8th ing their efforts chiefly to fanning the excite- Inf., being selected for the former, and Lieut.

Spain and the Grand Naval Review. Admiral Cerverea, the Minister of the Spanstrengthen the hopes of its enemies. The ish Marine, has stated that his Government inmany thousands of small proprietors and others tends to send three war-ships to take part in bor next year, in connection with the Columers Reina Regente, Infanata Isabel and the gunboat Neuva Espana. The three caravels, and Pinta, in which Columbus and his companions made their voyage of discovery, will also take part in the review.

Bad Results of a Small Accident.

The bursting of a fly-wheel at the White River Iron and Steel Works, at Muncie, Ind., on Dec. 22, tore the building to pieces. The head roller of the works was instantly killed and the engineer was fatally injured. The loss is estimated at \$10,000, and 300 people are thrown out of work.

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My last bulletin gave forecasts of the stormwave to cross the continent from 21st to 25th a question the most vital bearing of which is and the cool wave with northern snows from directly upon the laboring interests. It is 23d to 27th. The next storm-wave will reach the Pacific Coast about the 26th, cross the Western mountains by the close of the 27th, the great Central Valleys from the 28th to 30th and the Eastern States about the 31st. This will be a general storm of very considerable force, causing heavy rains and snows. Following it a cool wave, with snow and rain

on its front, will cross the Western mountains about the 29th. the great Central Valleys about the 31st and the Eastern States about Jan. 2. The first storm-wave of January will be generally a severe one, and will reach the Pacific

miles from Savannah, Ga. He is supposed to Western mountains about the 3d, the great have been murdored, but the perpetrators left Central Valleys about the 5th, and the Eastern States about the 7th.

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A Georgia Negro Editors' Association. The negro editors of Georgia organized a State Press Association in Augusta, Ga., on Dec. 26 among the 12 papers represented. The editors issued an address discouraging immigration and urging negroes to work industriously with renewed visor for the ad-

vancement of the race, and at ling the cultivation of friendly feeling with their white neighbors. It points with pride to the public school system of Georgia, and extends to Gov. Northen and State School Commissioner Bradwell sincere thanks for their liberal views in relation to the extension of education among Political bossism is opposed, whether by

whites or negroes, and that party alone, the address contends, will be supported that advooffice. Temperance, sobriety and frugality are especially recommended. Lynch law, "Jim Crow" cars and separate coaches for the races are denounced as not only unjust and illegal, but barbarous; and Gov. Northen is congratulated for his bold and fearless declaration

against lynching in this State. The abolition of the State convict lease system is demanded, and finally the address sug-

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